

The Cost of Raising a Child: \$233,610



Not including the annual cost of college!

\$45,370 Private

\$20,090 Public

*Includes room and board.



Where does the money go?

18% Food

29% Housing

15% Transportation

9% Health Care

6% Clothing

16% Child Care & Education

7% Misc.

Annual Housing Cost per Child



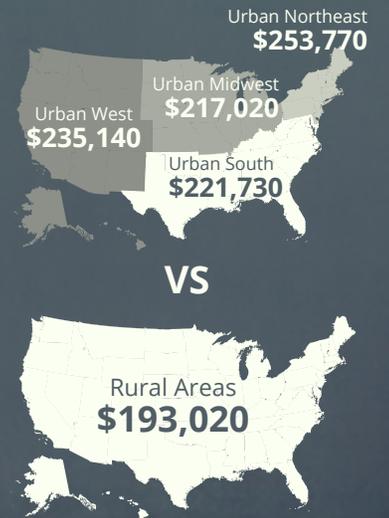
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Annual Food Costs by Age



Cost by Region



*U.S. average for middle-income, married-couple families. Total costs are from birth through age 17. Source: Expenditures on Children by Families, 2015. U.S. Department of Agriculture, Center for Nutrition Policy and Promotion. Misc. Pub. No. 1528-2015.